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Highway Sponsors to Meet With Joshua Tree Boosters

The Forward O. P.

Bringing the Dorsey remuda down from Big Bear to 29 Palms wasn't such a hard job last week. The moonlight night was perfect for riding and at one stop refreshments were awaiting the wranglers. Allie Wrubel and Gene Dorsey were waiting in Joshua Tree with a well equipped bar in a trunk of the car. A deluxe chuck wagon, as it were.

Our hat is off to the merchants of Yucca Valley and Joshua Tree who provided the new jerseys and caps for the Joshua Cubs. Now, if the players who wear them will perform as well as they look the the Cubs should go to town.

That big blast of wind and all the black clouds last week had us scurrying home to close the windows and wait for a cloudburst. The gentle rain was such an anti-climax that we were almost disappointed. But, the road wasn't blocked, so maybe we should be thankful.

Don't miss that road meeting at the Community Hall on Thursday night. You'll be well repaid for going when you hear the results of the hiway campaign and see the real enthusiasm and get-it-done spirit of the sponsors. It's a fine example of cooperation between communities and individuals.

Most people who travel our hiway are now used to the stop signs in the center of town. The truckers. particularly, are careful to observe them. Once in a while some startled stranger goes thru and apparently wonders when the traffic cop will start after him for failing to observe the law.

School Buildings Will Start When State Gets Final OK

New school buildings for the Morongo Elementary School District can be started within a few weeks after monies tentatively allocated to the disctrict are finally released, according to information from the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. The tentative allocations are exactly in accord with the amounts requested in the petition from the Morongo School District to the State Allocation Board. The amended request was given tentative approval on June 30, 1948. The money will be forthcoming, it was stated, when final details regarding acquisition of property are completed.

According to the petition a total of $281,469 was asked for the district. This includes $65,559 for Joshua Tree, $112,678 for Yucca Valley and $103,192 for Twentynine Palms elementary schools. The Yucca Valley school is designed to accomodate pupils from Pioneertown and Morongo Valley as well as those from Yucca Valley. It has not been announced by the Morongo Board what disposition will be made of the $55,000 on hand from the sale of bonds voted three years ago. The additional sum is from emergency funds voted by the California Assembly to aid so-called "impoverished" school districts. The Assembly Bill No. 98 requires that governing boards of school districts expend the emergency fnuds for the purposes indicated in their petition, and must report on the expenditures.

Teachers for elementary grades in communities other than 29 Palms have been appointed with the exception that none has yet been selected for Morongo Valley. In Joshua Tree Bob and Lillian Rich have been employed. Mrs. Rich, formerly at Big Bear for two years will instruct the first to third grades and Mr. Rich who recently completed his work at U.C.L.A. will have the fourth to sixth grades. Mrs. Vera Braham will teach the first to sixth grades at Yucca Valley. The Brahams purchased a turkey ranch at Sun Valley several weeks ago. At Pioneertown Mrs. Pearl Jones has been selected to teach the first to sixth grades. She is a native of Westside, Iowa.

Big Crowd Enjoys Bingo Game

Nearly seventy Joshuans and their guests participated in the bingo game at Sportsmans Hall last Friday night. The attractive door prizes and liberal awards are proving a magnet for fun loving bean putters.

Tom Stumfall was the lucky winner of the first door prize, a stainless steel sauce pan and cover; Sara Swayzie was awarded the second prize, a chenille bath rug; Mrs. Edythe Fraetis won a grease job at Don's Chevron Service. The consolation prize, a corkscrew, went to Mrs. Eunice King.

Presiding at the refreshment table were Mrs. Nellie Decker and Mrs. Harry Wheeler.

The Sportsmans Club members who called the numbers and passed out the cards were John Coulter, Don Houghton, Harry Wheeler and Bob Garry.

Joshua Cubs Sport New Uniforms

The next appearance of the Joshua Cubs softball team will be featured by the splendor of the new blue and gold jerseys and caps of the players. Just arrived last week end the new uniforms are contributed by sponsoring merchants of Joshua Tree and Yucca Valley.

Each of the following business firms has its name on the back of one jersey, indicating that the wearer is sponsored by the merchant: Garry's Shell Service, Desert Steak House, Wild's Variety Store, Mike's Market, Wilson Home Furnishings, Desert Trading Post, Gus' Welding and Hauling and Joshua Tree Electric Shop in Joshua Tree; Peggy's Cafe, Yucca Valley Inn, S. & L. Builders Supply and Lamberty's Drug Store in Yucca Valley.

Drivers May Get Licenses

Desert residents who wish to obtain a driver's license or who have problems concerning automobile registration will be cared for on Friday, July 30th, at Joshua Tree Cafe in 29 Palms. B. Dawson of Indio, examiner for the State Department of Motor Vehicles, notified the Journal that the Division of Drivers License will be ready to accomodate the driving public at that time.

Desert Towns Back 29 Palms - Parker Cutoff Project Enthusiastically

Residents of Joshua Tree will have the opportunity to learn first hand of the progress of the 29 Palms - Parker cutoff Thursday evening when the Baseline Highway Improvement Association meets in the Community Hall at 8 P.M. Even as you read this it is expected that the McFarland and Lafferty Brothers road crews will be meeting somewhere along the 35 mile stretch to signal completion of the rough grading. President George Savard of Parker Dam and Vice President Charles Watkins of 29 Palms promise some interesting data on the building of the road and the increase in tourist trade it is estimated will follow the opening of the new short cut hiway in the fall.

At last weeks meeting in Yucca Valley on Friday night more than 30 residents of towns along the road heard reports from officials and members of the Association. President Savard drove 685 miles in one day in order to be present at the Yucca Valley meeting. He announced that all bills to date had been met and that more of the pledges will be needed in order to keep the work running continuously. Approximately $3,000 has been paid out since starting the road.

Savard called on Dr. Thomas B. Sowell of Yucca Valley who spoke of the advantages of the high level route followed by the new highway. He pointed out that recent flash storms had blocked highway 60-70. Dr. Sowell said that, in his opinion, the road is the most important project that has been started in this area and complimented all communities on their whole-hearted support.

Vice president Charles Watkins announced that the new road eliminates many grades between Los Angeles and points east. He read a letter to be sent to non-resident property owners and all persons and firms who will benefit from this new, shorter route between Arizona and the metropolitan area. Watkins reported that a conservative estimate of tourist expenditures was $1,250,000 per year for this area when the highway is ready for passenger travel.

Fred A. Storey, subdivider of Yucca Valley presented a check for $500 to the Association. He praised the efforts of the sponsors and said that the road should be a popular route for travel.

M. G. Watty Watkins of 29 Palms told of road building activity in the past in San Bernardino County. He praised Treasurer Hal Oxhivad for his tireless and unceasing efforts in helping to promote the new road.

A request for the use of dump trucks was voiced by the chairman. Owners of such trucks who are will-

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Boys Club Has Outing

Members of the Joshua Tree Boys Club were entertained at the foothill home of Mrs. Laura Young last Saturday with an all day outing and picnic lunch. Travelling from Joshua Tree at 10 A.M. the boys were taken in the hostess' car and trailer to the hills where they explored the grounds until late afternoon. Each was prepared for the day with a substantial lunch.

Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Young were Mike and Tommy Stumfall, Scotty Marble, Larry and Troy Clark, Jimmy and Ed Evans, Don and Roger Braham, Roger Lund, Damon Wheeler, Tommy Decker and Roger and David Young.

A fine assortment of woodworking tools was purchased for the club the first of the week, according to Robert Larsen, director. Money for the tools was contributed by the PTA and the Sportsmans Club. Woodworking is one of the many projects planned for the Clubs activity.

Power Company Extends Lines

Electric lines of the California Electric Power Company have been extended east from Joshua Tree more than four miles in the past weeks. Line crews have been setting poles and stringing wire in order to bring electric service to many desert ranches and home sites.

It is contemplated, according to company officials, that Sun Valley and the Hamilton Tract will soon be able to have electric service. It was not learned whether the line past K Field will be detoured to the east or laid underground past the runway.

With the advent of electric power in Sun Valley Acres fresh impetus will be added to the development of breeding, incubating and marketing facilities for the rapidly growing turkey industry there.

The Personal Touch

Mrs. Sara Swayzie was the recipient of a surprise house warming last Thursday evening, July 22nd. A group of her friends brought a pot luck supper to her home and spent the evening. Those attending the festive affair were Mrs. Julia Laughlin, Mrs. Henrietta Pepper, Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan, Mrs. Anna Bush, Mr. and Mrs. James Phillips, Charles Krause, Mrs. Edith Fraetis, Mrs. Virginia Hurling and the honoree.

Visitors at the Ray Rees home from Tuesday until Thursday last week were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ackerman of Los Angeles. Mrs. Ackerman is a pilot who learned to fly when she was named "Queen for a Day" on a radio program. During their stay they visited many local points of interest and took in the ball game.

William Robb has been at Torrance in Harper General Hospital for treatment for an injured back. The Roy Wheelers report that Bill will have a plaster jacket for a few weeks. He hopes to return soon to Joshua Tree to recuperate.

Cigars, Cigarettes — The Gift Box

Mr. and Mrs. John Kroes and daughter Elaine of Champaign, Illinois, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans of Harbor City were guests at the Robert Kroes home in Sun Valley last weekend. John Kroes is a railroad man in the Illinois city and Robert Evans is a member of the U.S. Army.

Accompanying Steve Moninger to Joshua Tree from Los Angeles on Tuesday were Lottie M. Daniels and Gus Arditta. Miss Daniels remained at the Clubhouse for the rest of the week. Gus returned to the city with Steve on Thursday.

Spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wheeler was Mrs. Wheeler's daughter, Mrs. George Venesco of Bakersfield.

Quality Furniture—Lyons Furn. Co.

Margret Bair entertained Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ashby of Oceanside for a week at her home on Sunburst Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schoby and son spent several days last week at their Joshua Tree home on El Reposo.

Perry Dutton, Sr., was delightfully surprised at his Sun Valley home on his birthday anniversary last Thursday evening, July 22nd. Mrs. Dutton and Mrs. Robert Kroes arranged the gala affair. Helping him celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kroes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. George Ledesma, and Mrs. Dutton.

Newspapers — The Gift Box

Mrs. Pauline York, her father, sister and brother in law, spent the weekend in her recently completed home in the Whitehorn Ranch tract. She was quite pleased with her desert home which was constructed under the supervision of Meredith Willey.

Dan Hightower of Los Angeles, was a weekend guest at Mira Monte. Courts.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ledesma of Sun Valley spent the weekend in Los Angeles visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andres Ledesma.

Visiting the Fred Marbles for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Marble of Pomona.

Miss Edith Parrish returned from a five day visit to Los Angeles and Santa Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Kiger of Los Angeles, Mr. Cecil Rutan and daughter Dolores of St. Joseph, Missouri, visited the Roy Wheelers on Sunday.

Last Tuesday evening the Robert Kroes and the Perry Duttons enjoyed a picnic at Indian Cove in the Monument.

Visiting Jeanette Clark last Sunday were her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Hartshorn of Long Beach, her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oakley, of Washington, and her sister, and nieces, Mrs. Lorraine Heinrich and Claudia and Mary Heinrich of Long Beach.

Weather and Prices Favor Home Building Now

Prices and weather conditions most favorable for residential construction will make it advantageous for prospective home builders to have the construction of their new homes begun as soon as possible. This was advocated this week by Vern R. Huck, president of the Building Contractors Association of California.

"We are now entering a period of time when it is most likely that construction costs will be at their lowest mark in the next few years. Everyone who has held back the construction of his new home while waiting for prices to drop would be wise to plan the start of the building without further delay," declared Huck.

Huck pointed out that dollar for dollar the next few months will offer the best building value for the new home buyer. He said that continuous experimentation will probably develop means to construct less expensive homes later on. These lower cost homes, he said, will have all the essentials for comfortable living but their value proportionate to cost will be less than homes built in the immediate future.

Weather conditions for the next few months should allow maximum progress in home construction, Huck said. He advocated immediate construction if possible to escape the delays caused by rain and other adverse weather conditions.

"California builders face a two-fold problem in the effect of weather on construction work," he observed. "First, as it affects work on the site, and second, as it affects the transportation systems upon which we depend for delivery from outside the State of 75 per cent of our building materials."

Inspector Changes Dates

Bill Phelps, deputy building inspector for this area, announces that he will be in Pioneertown, Yucca Valley and Morongo Valley on Friday of each week instead of Wednesday as formerly. He will issue permits for building at the following places on Friday: in Pioneertown at the Tract office from 10 a. m. to 11 a.m.; at the Fred A. Storey office in Yucca Valley from 11 a.m. to 12 noon; and at Angels Cafe in Morongo Valley from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m.

Yucca Valley Notes

By Mrs. Frank Harmon

Mrs. Harriet Garvin of the Trails Motel is spending a few days in Wilmington.

Dick Harmon left last Monday night on a trip to South Dakota. He is planning to stop enroute to view the wonders of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado in Arizona and then will tour Yellowstone National Park before proceeding to his destination.

The Melvin Rich family visited at the home of Mrs. Riches parents in Yucca Valley last Sunday.

Patio furniture — Lyon's Furn. Co.

David Harmon is spending a couple of weeks visiting his friend Butch Rich in Redlands.

While visiting her daughter, Josephine Engle fell and fractured her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hoffar entertained her sister and family from Alabama over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Orr are spending a week vacation away from Yucca Valley.

Arthur Hollenback has been at home since Wednesday nursing a wrenched back. He is employed at the Desert Chemical plant east of 29 Palms.

Desert Popular On Weekend

More and more visitors are discovering that our desert is a delightful place for spending a weekend in summer. Last Saturday and Sunday it was noted that nearly all motels and guest cottages were filled. The restaurants and shops had a full quota of patrons and travel in the Joshua Tree National Monument appeared unusually heavy for this time of year.

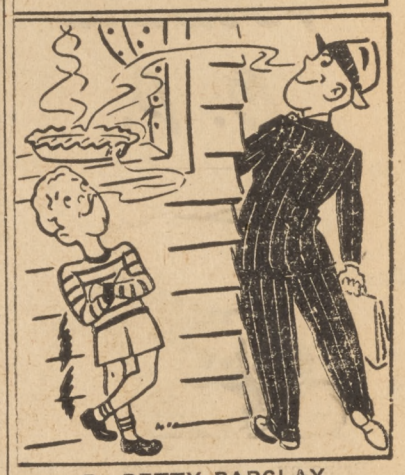
Even on hot days the area around Joshua Tree is nearly always cooled by a steady wind. The altitude and the lack of humidity make this region a perfect all year resort spot.

Because of the cool nights riding under the moonlight has become deservedly popular. Because of the demand the horses at the Flying W stables in 29 Palms were brought down from Big Bear when usually they have remained there until September.

With familiarity the visitor learns that desert heat is easily endured if only common sense rules every day conduct.

Magazines — The Gift Box

Pie Appeal



By BETTY BARCLAY

Pie has always been famous for its appeal, particularly to the male of the species — young or old. And the larger or deeper the pie, the greater the appeal.

So here's a recipe for a deep-dish dainty to delight your particular males. Try it today!

Deep-dish Cherry Pie

- 1 quart canned sour pitted cherries
- 3½ tablespoons corn starch
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon almond extract
- 1 teaspoon lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
- ⅛ teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 tablespoon melted butter or margarine
- 1 cup KARO Syrup, Red Label
- ½ recipe pastry

Drain cherries and reserve juice. Place cherries in a 9-inch deep pie dish. Combine ½ cup of the cherry juice with corn starch (saving remaining cherry juice to use in a sauce, fruit drink or gelatin dessert). Add remaining ingredients; blend well. Pour over cherries.

Cut 9-inch circle from pastry, rolled ⅛ inch thick. With sharp knife cut slits or cherry design to let steam escape. Place over cherry mixture. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 10 minutes; reduce to moderate (350° F.) and bake 40 minutes longer. Serve warm with whipped cream, if desired.

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Morongo Valley Notes

By Ruth Hale

Friends of Mrs. von Sternad will be interested to know that she and her husband are spending the summer in The White Mountains of Arizona.

Bill Smith of Lanning Lane left Sunday for Beryl, Utah, where he is to work for C. H. Frailey and Son. His wife Evelyn and daughter Sandra, and son Ronnie, will remain in the Valley until Bill finds a place for them to stay.

Don Zilliox and his family are visiting relatives in Long Beach.

Chrome Sets — Lyons Furn. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sayles and son Dickie, spent the weekend here. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Powell of Laguna Beach were their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jones and their small son spent some time at their home recently. Mr. and Mrs. John Mueller of Chicago were their house guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Arnold attended the Hardware Show in Redlands last Thursday.

Congratulations to David Mitchell on his marriage recently to Mina Naomi Horton whose home was in Lubbock, Texas.

Arnold Benner of Lynwood vacationed here at his home. He reported a restful two weeks and regrets he has to return to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Eisman are new residents in Morongo. They are building a home in Section 15.

Ceramics — The Gift Box

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Millington have returned from a two weeks vacation spent in the mountains.

Tom Handley, his wife and mother are guests at "Shermans". Their home is in Westbrook.

Gladys and Bob Ulrich are spending two weeks in Yosemite.

Mrs. Naomi Hobgood and son Bobby are in Santa Ana visiting friends. They have spent some time also at Laguna Beach and Newport Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee have returned from a sojourn to Long Beach.

Heywood-Wakefield-Lyons Fur. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Liebsamnft from Monrovia spent the weekend at their home, here.

Mrs. J. L. Lanning is spending several days in Long Beach as the guest of her Aunt.

Pat Fobes of Pasadena and Morongo Valley visited at Palm Wells Valley for a couple of days last week.

Fire Fighting Outfit Easy to Make

National Farm Safety Week, July 25-31, provides a good opportunity to call attention to farm fire fighting equipment, says Emily Parker, Assistant Home Demonstration Agent. Old clothing can be treated chemically at home to make it fire resistant. This should be done in advance, and the clothing kept in a convenient place near fire fighting equipment to be ready in an emergency.

Clothing needed for adequate protection would include the following: a hat or cap with head size large enough to fit well down on the head and protect the hair, with a brim to protect the eyes; a close fitting collar or neck band; long sleeves; gloves to protect the hands; a shirt that can be tucked in; pockets closed with flaps to avoid embers; hems inside the bottom of the overalls or coveralls fitted at the ankles; high topped shoes and wool or cotton socks.

Several chemicals may be used to make garments fire resistant. Ammonium sulfamate, borax and boric acid, and commercial fire resistant salts or solutions can be ordered from fertilizer supply companies or drug stores. Avoid commercial chemicals which contain ammonium sulphate as this chemical reduces the strength of the fabric. For an ammonium sulfamate solution, dissolve one pound in one gallon of warm water and store in a glass jar. For a borate solution, dissolve eight ounces of borax and four ounces of boric acid in two and one half quarts of hot water. Store in a glass jar and warm the solution before using to dissolve all of the boric acid.

Fabrics treated with these solutions will char when exposed to fire, but the flame will not spread. Since they are water solutions, articles must be treated after each washing. Dry cleaning doesn't remove the fire resistant property.

Strawberry Jam - Everybody's Favorite

By BETTY BARCLAY

If all the berries in the world were gathered together for a glamour-berry contest — strawberries would win! Yes, rich, red strawberries have a winning appeal that makes them America's favorite for jam. And it's no wonder — strawberry jam has a flavor and texture yet to be equalled in any other berry. But remember — strawberries, beautiful as they are, are particularly low in natural pectin content. And pectin, as you know, is the substance present in fruit that makes jellies jell and jams jam. But please don't hesitate to make strawberry jam on this account.

Homemakers remember, the addition of a natural fruit pectin, either powdered or bottled, insures a successful jam every time. It supplies the right amount of pectin in just the exact proportion to make up for the deficiency in the ripe fruit and, it safeguards the characteristically rich flavor of the berries. Yes, all the delicious flavor of the glamour berry is locked in every sealed jar ready for a taste treat on morning toast and all through the day.

Strawberry Jam

4 cups prepared fruit
7 cups sugar
½ bottle fruit pectin

To prepare the fruit. Crush thoroughly about 2 quarts fully ripe strawberries. Measure 4 cups into a large saucepan.

To make the jam. Add sugar to fruit in saucepan and mix well. Place over high heat, bring to a *full rolling boil*, and *boil hard 1 minute*, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in bottled fruit pectin. Then stir and skim by turns for 5 minutes to cool slightly, to prevent floating fruit. Pour quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once. Makes about 10 six-ounce glasses.

Rhubarb and Strawberry Jam

3 cups prepared fruit
4½ cups sugar
1 box powdered fruit pectin

To prepare the fruit. Slice thin or chop (do not peel) about ½ pound rhubarb. Crush thoroughly about 1 quart fully ripe strawberries. Combine fruits and measure 3 cups into a large saucepan.

To make the jam. Measure sugar and set aside. Place saucepan holding fruit over high heat. Add powdered fruit pectin and stir until mixture comes to a hard boil. At once stir in sugar. Bring to a *full rolling boil* and *boil hard 1 minute*, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, skim, ladle quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once. Makes about 7 six-ounce glasses.

National Feed Outlook Good

A greater supply of feed grain is in prospect for dairymen and poultrymen during coming months.

George Alcorn, marketing specialist of the University of California Agricultural Extension Service, says fewer animals are to be fed in the 1948-49 season. Supplies per animal of both feed concentrates and hay could reach records. Livestock numbers have been declining since 1944 and will probably continue downward the balance of this year, and into next.

Prices of barley and oats have already declined in California. Corn may drop more than usual this fall. In recent weeks feed grain prices have been about one-fourth higher than last year, and this was unusually high in relation to prices of by-product feeds, especially in the high proteins.

Alcorn says if the good growing season in the grain and corn belts keeps up, prices of feed grains and possibly of other feeds in relation to livestock prices will probably be much lower in 1948-49 than now.

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MORE GOOD REASONS FOR NEW HIGHWAY

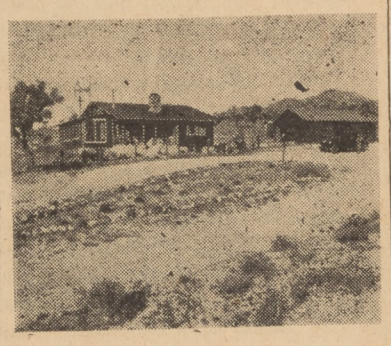
If, in addition to the many advantages that are obvious, the new highway link from 29 Palms to Parker needs additional justification it was realistically provided by the heavy downpour last Thursday night that occasioned the blockade of Highway 60-70 near Garnet. Motorists were forced to detour thru Palm Springs and that, too, was under water. Not only will travellers have a good alternate route in case of storm blockades but they will be able to travel a high level route most of the way to the Colorado River or to Los Angeles, depending on the way they are headed.

In summer drivers will welcome the absence of grades on the new route. It will no longer be necessary to drop down to sea level and below and then climb again to 3,000 or 4,000 feet. After topping the Morongo grade the motorist has a straight one level route thru the Sheephole Mountains and then a gentle grade down to the River. That saves miles, time, gasoline and mental wear and tear.

To the desert dweller all these advantages are obvious, but for the tourist and the occasional city visitor they must be experienced to be appreciated. As soon as the highway is topped and ready for travel the sponsors of this excellent project will welcome the opportunity to tell the world of this short, all weather, one level route into and out of our desert.

Lowly Philosophy

By JUNE LeMERT PAXTON



THE JOSHUAS

Among the recent callers at my cabin-home were two sisters from Beverly Hills; both were strangers, and both were intensely interesting. In a short time we were discussing various books that we enjoyed in common. One of the ladies had with her a copy of "The Magic of Believing," by Claude M. Bristol, and read aloud a number of its highlights. This is only one of many similar books published on this subject because, during the past fifty years, deep thinkers in various fields have given much time and thought to the practical application of Christian principles.

Our Bible is filled with wonderful promises — God-given promises; we quote them; in prayer we repeat them over and over, and yet I dare say that only a small per cent of these promises are ever fulfilled because we lack the proper, and all-powerful, application necssary to bring them to fruitage. We fail because we, the beneficiaries, do not live up to the "if" clause in the promissory note: "If thou cans't believe, all things are possible to him that believeth."

Platform Rockers—Lyons Furn. Co.

Featherbedding To Undergo Test

Featherbedding, as typified by the 1911 California Excess Crew Law, will undergo its first ballot box test in California as the result of last week's State Supreme Court ruling confirming the public's right to pass on legalized payroll-padding practices.

The path was cleared for a public test of the validity of featherbed laws when the court denied a petition for a writ of mandate to remove Proposition 3 from the November General Election ballot.

In filing the petition, Railroad Brotherhood representatives contended that the initiative measure, which would end the enforced employment of more brakemen on railroads than there are jobs for them to do, had no relation to featherbedding and hence had no place on the ballot. The Court's action rejected this view.

J. J. Deuel, director of the California Farm Bureau Federation, which has joined with numerous Statewide organizations and individuals to support Proposition 3, hailed the court's ruling as "confirming the right of the people who pay the bill for featherbedding — the general public — to decide whether they must continue to pay for services not rendered.

Deuel added:

"Featherbedding will now have to go to trial before the bar of public opinion. As a generalized practice, it is responsible for one-fifth of today's viciously high cost of living. On the railroads, it adds $3,000,000 a year to transportation costs that are passed along to the consuming public in the form of higher retail prices. It is time that we started the ball rolling toward lower living costs by eliminating featherbedding levies on the public's purse."

Under the Excess Crew Law, from 1 to 5, and sometimes 7 featherbedding brakemen ride the cabooses of freight trains in California in addition to the normal working crew. Proposition 3 would empower the Public Utilities Commission to decree how many brakemen are needed both for efficiency and safety, and would prohibit featherbedding. State and Federal records prove that the California law actually contributes to freight train accidents, instead of increasing safety as the Brotherhoods claim. Revision of the law would NOT apply to passenger train operations.

Highway

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ing to donate their use for a few days are asked to get in touch with Lafferty Brothers early this week. Hauling of clay from Dale Lake for use as topping will begin this week.

A call for additional pledges resulted in several checks being given in addition to Storeys contrimution. Letters and pledge cards with return envelopes were distributed for mailing by members.

Interest in the project has developed in many distant communities as evidenced by newspaper articles in the Los Angeles Herald Express and the Desert Star in Needles.

The meeting on Thursday night, July 29, at Joshua Tree is open to the public. Invitations to all property owners, motel owners and business firms have been issued.

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- SPORTS -

Cubs Blow Lead; Lose to Kenneys 17 to 7

For the first three innings the Cubs showed real baseball ability then disintegrated to blow a 6 to 1 lead over the league leading Kenney Druggists last Tuesday at Gilpin Field. The Kenneymen displayed the brand of fielding and hitting that keeps them on top of the heap and went on to take the contest by a score of 17 runs to 7. Except for 3 bobbles in the third frame and a miscue in the sixth the Druggists fielders outguessed the Cubs batters and were camping under every fly ball. The Cubs made 9 chargeable errors and were guilty of bad judgment on many other plays.

Marble, Cubs pitcher, had difficulty finding the plate in the first inning, but, with the bases loaded, pulled out safely. A snappy double play, Dunavant to Fowler to Smith, kept the Cubs from scoring in the last of the initial frame. In the second an error by Miller and a walk got the Cubs hurler in trouble but once more he turned on the heat and held the Druggists scoreless. The Cubs went ahead with 1 run on Garry's double and a single by Arch.

In the third Kenneys tied it up when Humphreville dropped Dunavant's long drive and Phelps singled the latter home. Four hits and three Kenney errors gave the Cubs 5 more runs in the last of the third. Miller singled, Van Tassel fouled out to Bagley, and Leyhe doubled. Garry's hot grounder got by Fowler and Miller and Leyhe came in. Ojala lived on Smiths error and Humphreville cleaned the bases when his long drive to left eluded Haese.

Three doubles, a triple and numerous Cub errors gave the Druggists 4 runs in the top of the fourth frame. The Cubs got 2 hits but couldn't score in their half of the inning.

In the fifth inning Nicoll, for the Kenneymen, grounded out, Bagley tripled to right and scored on an error at the plate after Stone hit. Haese struck out. Dunn was safe on an error and Fowler walked filling the bases. Stone and Dunn scored on Dunavant's double. Smith walked to fill the bases again. Phelps double brought in 3 runs and Nicoll grounded out to end the half. The Cubs failed to count.

Two walks, two triples and another Cub error accounted for 4 more counters in the Kenney tally in the sixth. The Cubs got 1 more on an error and a double by Van Tassel. The Druggists added 2 more in the seventh, then retired the Cubs 3 in a row to end the game.

Haese led the winners in hitting with a single, double and triple. Dunn, Dunavant, Phelps and Bagley each hit twice. Bagley got a homer. For the Cubs Van Tassel had 2 doubles and a single for a .750 average. Leyhe and Willey each hit twice. Humphreville was the only Cub to make an uninterrupted circuit of the bases.

Except for the third inning the Kenney fielders were always on the ball with Dunn, Fowler, Phelps and Haese sparking the defensive play. Leyhe and Willey did the best fielding work for the losers.

Marble's pitching was a bit wobbly at times but errors by the Cubs forced him to work overtime. He struck out 4, walked 8 and gave up 13 hits. Nicoll fanned 6, walked 2 and allowed 11 hits.

Mann called balls and strikes. Ryan and Andrews ruled the base play.

Score by Innings								R	H	E
Kenneys	0	0	1	4	6	4	2	17	13	4
Josh Cubs	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	7	11	9

League Standings

	Won	Lost
Kenney's	11	1
Broilers	10	2
Oilers	7	5
Josh Cubs	4	8
Lafferty's	3	9
Marks	1	11

Wildcats and Jack Rabbits Sub For D.H.S.

In spite of the non-appearance of the Desert Hot Springs Softball team a large crowd of spectators was entertained by a snappy five inning setto between two teams consisting of All Star players from the league last Saturday night at Gilpin Field. Dubbed the Wildcats and Jackrabbits by the announcer they played one of the best games of the season. At the end of the curtailed fracas the score was 9 to 8 in favor of the Jackrabbits.

Basil Ryan of the Smoke Tree Broiler pitched the entire game for the losers while Fred Marble of the Joshua Cubs and Tom Nicoll of Kenney Drug shared the mound duties for the victors. Frank Leyhe and Bob Garry of the Cubs also played for the Jackrabbits.

The Jacks were trailing 8 to 3 in the last inning but came thru with a 6 run barrage to win by a nose.

Bruins Drop Close Game to Mixons

The Joshua Tree Bruins were nosed out by the Mixon team 4 to 3 in a Junior League tilt last Tuesday night. The game was a curtain raiser to the Cubs-Kenney game later. Bob Hughes and Jack McCutchen made up the battery for the winners and Bob Wilson and Scotty Marble did the toiling for the Bruins.

Character Roomers Win First Game

After eleven straight losses the Sport Center representatives held the Lafferty Wildcats and took the decision for their first win.

Berryhill, who always pitches a good game, had better support for his efforts. He walked only one Wildcat and allowed six scattered hits.

For the losers Lake, Pierce and Lafferty took turns on the mound. Between them they walked eighteen Characters, allowed fourteen hits and were hamperd by a flock of fielding errors.

Games This Week

Tues. — Kenney's - Laffertys
Wed. — Broilers - Josh Cubs.
Thurs. - Oilers - Marks.

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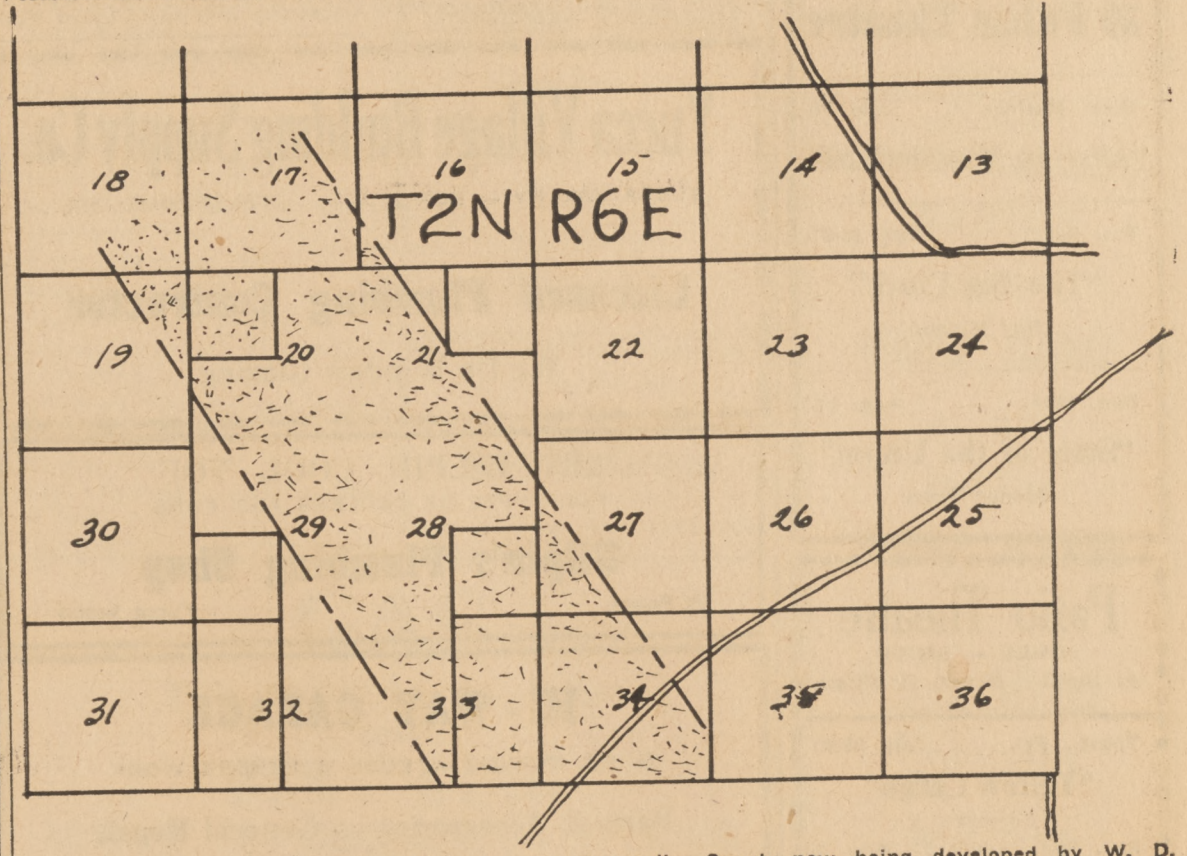

Map showing location of mineralized area in San Bernardino County now being developed by W. D. Jinkins and associates. Shaded portion shows approximate extent of claims filed. The center section is largely unsurveyed government land.

Plant Now for Winter Vegetables

San Bernardino County vegetable gardeners are reminded by Assistant Farm Advisor George A. Bowman that this is the time to plant many of our vegetables.

Many new Californians may be surprised to learn that July is an important planting month, but vegetables started now will mature in the fall, and many kinds can be left in the ground for months after they are large enough to use. This long harvest period allows home gardeners to meet many of their kitchen needs with a minimum of waste.

Seeds that should be sown now include bush beans, pole beans, sweet corn, endive, beets, carrots, parsnips, Romaine lettuce, chard and peas.

In addition seed potatoes can be planted, and plants of cabbage, cauliflower, and celery should be set out now.

Sandy soils may require sprinkling daily to get the seeds of some varieties to germinate. Small areas can be covered with wet sacks to keep the surface soil moist until the seeds are up. The sacks must be removed as soon as the seedlings begin to appear.

Covering the seeded area with a mulch of light material such as lawn clippings or rotted manure will also help home gardeners get good stands.

Commercial growers sprinkle or run water in the furrows almost daily to start difficult seeds, such as carrots, on sandy soils.

Health For All

UNDULANT FEVER

Brucellosis, or undulant fever, a disease that is transmitted from certain animals to people, causes great suffering and discomfort and can leave the patient exhausted long after the acute attack. It is difficult to cure and is apt to recur again and again.

The source of undulant fever is such food-producing animals as cows, hogs and goats. Most people who contract the disease in this country get it from drinking raw or unpasteurized milk from infected cows, or from consuming food products made from that raw milk. Others get the disease from direct contact with diseased cattle or by handling infected raw meat.

One of the dangers of undulant fever is that its symptoms are similar to those of many other diseases. Since it is difficult to diagnose when it first strikes, it is frequently mistaken for such other diseases at rheumatic fever, malaria, typhoid fever or tuberculosis. So it can go unrecognized long after early symptoms appear.

Undulant fever gets its name from the fact that it is often characterized by a fever that rises and falls daily. It causes tiredness and listlessness, and rheumatic-like pains in different parts of the body.

Death from undulant fever is rare, but the disease causes prolonged disability. Prompt and proper treatment gives the sick person a better chance of cure in a shorter time. But it also happens that even with good medical care, a patient may suffer recurring attacks of undulant fever for years.

Anyone who has any indications of this illness should see his doctor at once.

Since undulant fever is contracted most commonly from drinking raw or unpasteurized milk, those who drink or cook with raw milk are taking chances. Pasteurization of milk kills any dangerous germs that might be in it, including those germs which cause undulant fever.

If it is difficult or impossible to get pasteurized milk, raw milk can be used safely after it is heated to the boiling point and then cooled quickly by placing the heating pan on ice or in ice water.

In the next article, hay fever will be discussed.

Hiway Officials OK Freeway Action

Procedure on the location or major relocation of freeways as recommended by the Statewide Highway Committee of the State Chamber of Commerce, has been approved by the California Highway Commission, Chairman C. H. Purcell said today.

The recommendations adopted by the Commission are as follows:

1. That at the time of commencing studies or surveys for the location or major relocation of any State highway which is to be constructed as a freeway, a meeting shall be called with local officials, to which the locael Press shall be invited, for the purpose of advising those interested that such studies or surveys are being commenced.

2. That the Division of Highways of the Department of Public Works determine on that location for the freeway which in its judgment will best serve the public interest and report the same to this Commission.

3. That the Division of Highways, on authorization of this Commission, give adequate public notice of the Commission's intention to consider the adoption of the location so determined and also give written notice to the City Council or Board of Supervisors, if unincorporated territory is involved, or both, of such intention. Such notice to the local legislative body or bodies shall specify that if any such legislative body considers a public hearing on the matter necessary or desirable, this Commission will hold or cause to be held such hearing if requested by any such local legislative body within thirty days after the first regular meeting of such legislative body following receipt of such written notice; or the Commission may, on its own initiative, call a public meeting or grant such hearings as it may deem necessary or desirable.

4. If any such legislative body requests such hearing, this Commission shall hold or cause to be held a hearing, after due public notice of the time and place thereof, at which time and place all persons interested in the matter will be heard and all questions and objections pertaining to the matter will be answered or explained by the State Highway Engineer or members of his staff.

5. After such hearing, or after the expiration of such period of thirty (30) days, if no hearing is requested, the Commission will take action in respect to the location or relocation of such freeway.

6. The authorization referred to in Paragraph 3 of this resolution, to give public notice of the Commission's intention shall be by specific resolution of the Commission relating to each such location or major relocation. In all other respects this resolution authorizes the State Highway Engineer to do such things without further resolution or order of this Commission as are necessary to comply with the above specified procedure.

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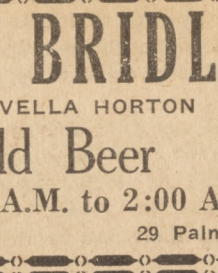
Aloha

By Frances Lee Barton

"ALOHA" can mean either "hail" or "farewell" when you visit the jewels of the Pacific known as Hawaii. But there will be no farewell for Aloha Flakes Custard once it has been hailed to your table. It will find a permanent place in your recipe file and make frequent appearances at your table — by family demand. The bran flakes give this custard a fine nutty flavor that is different. And — this is for your ears alone, Mother — if your campaign to get more milk and cereals into the family diet meet with resistance, here is a fine painless way to win your battle.



Aloha Flakes Custard

3 eggs, slightly beaten; ½ cup sugar; ½ teaspoon salt; 4 cups milk; 1 teaspoon vanilla; 1 teaspoon grated orange rind; 1½ teaspoons nutmeg; ½ cup finely cut shredded coconut or chopped dates; 1½ cups 40% bran flakes.

Combine eggs, sugar, and salt; add milk gradually and mix well. Combine remaining ingredients and fold into custard mixture. Pour into greased custard cups. Place in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 50 minutes, or until knife inserted comes out clean. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

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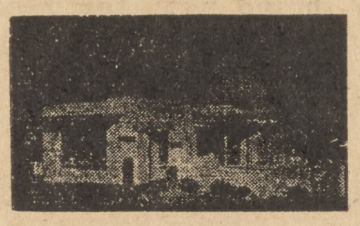

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